

# WILL PROVE THE TITLES

## Wahiawa Colonists Now Own Their Homes.

WITH the proving up of their titles in the Land Office in Honolulu this week the members of the Wahiawa colony will have demonstrated that small farming is a success in Hawaii. Land Commissioner Boyd has just returned from a visit to the Wahiawa colony, securing evidence in support of the resident requirement of the Hawaiian land laws, and this week the California farmers will come to town to prove their compliance with the remainder of the requirements and conditions imposed by the homestead law.

Land Commissioner Boyd was greatly surprised at the progress already shown at the Wahiawa colony and at the evident intention of the homesteaders to become permanent residents of the Territory. The members of the little colony are now planning the establishment of a cannery for the pineapple product, and the next crop of that fruit will be put up right at the colony for shipment to California and Eastern cities. The green fruit is now being marketed in California, and the factory will save the farmers a considerable amount in the way of freights, which is an expensive proposition from Honolulu to the Coast.

"My visit to Wahiawa was made in accordance with the homestead law, which says the Land Commissioner must be satisfied that the homesteaders have an actual residence upon the Government land before they can be given a deed to it," said Mr. Boyd. "This condition they have fully complied with in every way, and there is no doubt in my mind that these people intend to make their permanent homes upon the land. The homesteaders intend to come in this week and give evidence to show that they have fulfilled all the requirements of the law. I fully satisfied myself that they had complied with all the conditions as to improvements, cultivation of crops, etc. This they did, too, in the face of the greatest obstacles. Failure did not dishearten them and they fought on where others gave up in despair, and they are certainly entitled to all credit for demonstrating that small farming is a success in the Territory, as well as proving the wisdom of our homestead law. Their prospects are better now than ever before, and they are in a fair way of reaping the profits of two years' unrequited toil."

"The new Wahiawa ditch will prove a blessing to them, and they are already making good use of the water. The ditches are so arranged that each homesteader gets his water at the highest point upon his farm, and from there it is easily distributed where required. Some of the farmers will raise cane themselves for the plantations, and I do not believe they would be willing to sell their land to either of the sugar companies reported to be after it."

"Pineapples are now being marketed in San Francisco, but the homesteaders will soon have a cannery factory established there where the pineapples will be put up. The members of the colony are themselves backing this enterprise and are certain of its success. "Crops generally are looking fine on their farms, and the colonists give every evidence of prosperity. I was surprised at the way they were growing things down there, and didn't think it possible on this island. The pineapples are doing splendidly, and they are marketing a fine crop of watermelons. Peaches look fairly well, though the wind causes some trouble. This is being remedied, however, by the planting of trees for windbreaks. Small fruits, vegetables, etc., are also in fine condition, and now that they have water at Wahiawa the colonists wish for nothing more but their titles."

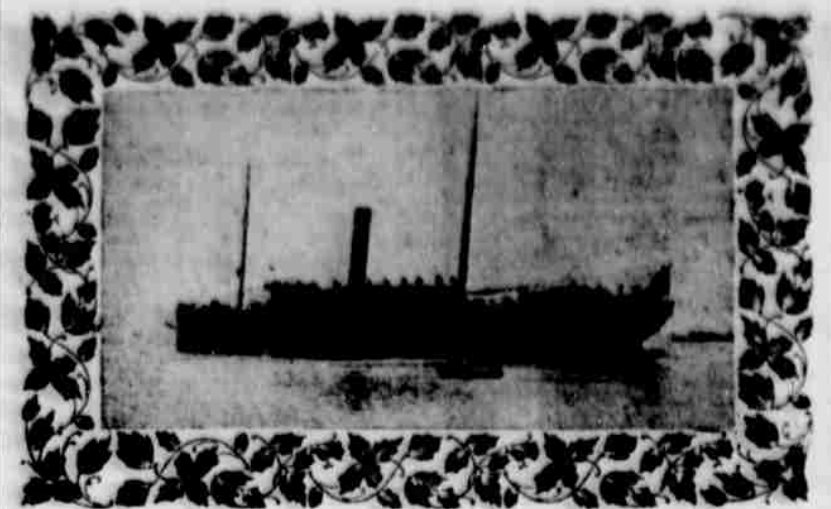
The Wahiawa colonists have now been here for the term required under the homestead law before the title can be secured by the homesteader. Commissioner Boyd said yesterday that the colonists, in his opinion, had taken up all the land they could under the law. They hold two classes for which they paid \$5 and \$2 per acre.

## LAND MATTERS BEFORE COUNCIL

Land matters occupied the attention of the Executive Council at yesterday morning's session. George H. Robertson presented an application for the leasing of 2664 acres in the Kau, Hawaii, district, for which he was willing to give \$800 per year. Land Commissioner Boyd reported that 600 acres in this tract could be used in the cultivation of sugar, and the application was denied. The Executive Council decided that a lease of these 600 acres would be given to Robertson at an annual rental of \$4 per acre, and this proposition will be submitted to him. Robertson asked for a five-year lease for the 600 acres for a total rental of \$200. His application for 155 acres of forest land for twenty-one years at \$200 annually was granted.

E. S. Boyd also submitted an application from A. G. Curtis for land at Olua for a settlement association, which was granted. The Apokaa Sugar Co., which has a small plantation in the Ewa district, on this island, submitted an offer of \$15 annual rental per acre for four acres of land near their property. The lease is to be for twenty years. The application of S. Kimura for a dealer's license in Honolulu was granted.

# THE TRANSPORT SOLACE HAS SICKNESS ON BOARD



## She Anchored Outside and Refused to Let the Advertiser's Launch Approach--No Papers Given Out.

(From Monday's daily.)  
THE U. S. S. Solace arrived off port yesterday afternoon and people began congratulating each other on the fact that two days' later news of the world had unexpectedly come to hand. They were doomed to disappointment, however, for the Solace dropped her anchors, displayed her riding light and remained outside all night.

Dr. Sinclair boarded the vessel in the ordinary course, and when he returned a ship's boat containing the Solace's doctor came with him. Then it was known that something was wrong aboard and that the vessel was experiencing difficulty in obtaining pratique.

As soon as Dr. Sinclair arrived at the quarantine wharf Mrs. Pratt and Sloggett were summoned and a lengthy consultation was held, the purpose of which could not be obtained as the doctors absolutely refused to give any information to a reporter, other than that the Solace would probably come in this morning.

Around the water front it was taken as a settled fact that the vessel had a case of sickness aboard and more than one individual declared that he had it on good authority that the trouble was scarlet fever.

The Advertiser's launch went out to the vessel early in the evening to try and obtain later papers, but this it was found impossible to do, as notwithstanding the fact that the paper's representative had an order from Dr. Cofer permitting him to go to the vessel's rail and receive papers and any information obtainable, Executive Officer Rogers refused to allow the launch to approach the vessel and would not con-

verse or permit anyone else to converse with the reporter on matters pertaining to current news. Captain Singer is now commander of the Solace and his Executive Officer Rogers' attitude toward a reporter last night was in marked contrast to that of ex-Commander Winslow and the officers under him, who were always courteous to the newspaper fraternity to a fault.

The Solace left San Francisco last Monday, coming down in the excellent time of six days and three hours. It was stated by one of the ship's officers that no mail or newspaper files had been put aboard her but had been reserved for the Coptic, which sailed the next day and which should arrive this afternoon.

Aboard the vessel are twelve cadets going to the Asiatic station. No one came for the local station as had been expected by the authorities here. Captain Singer, who relieved Commander Winslow, was formerly executive officer of the cruiser Raleigh, which served at the battle of Manila Bay.

The only news of the outside world which could be obtained was that Mount Pelee was still in a state of eruption and that the second outbreak was worse than the first in point of violence and accompanied by a great flow of lava. No additional lives were lost but the work of relief had to be suspended. Supplies had been taken ashore in large quantities, however, and the survivors on the island were in no danger of starvation. Mount Soufriere was also still belching forth and the total of dead at Kingstown is estimated at 1200.

The Boer war is said to be still unfinished, but peace negotiations are likely to be perfected at any time.

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WASHINGTON, May 24.—The members of the French mission which came to Washington to attend the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the Rochambeau statue finished their visit today and tonight left the city for Niagara Falls, on their tour of the East before returning home. There were no formal functions on the program for today, but the visitors found every minute of their time occupied in attending divine service, returning numerous calls and in drives.

Ambassador Cambon accompanied the members of the mission to St. Patrick's Church at 10 o'clock in the morning, where low mass was said by Rev. Dr. Mangien of Baltimore. Rt. Rev. Mgr. Rooker of the apostolic delegation and other priests assisting. The visitors wore the full uniform of their rank. Cardinal Gibbons preached a short sermon.

An unexpected feature of the afternoon and one that pleased the visitors very much was the invitation from President Roosevelt to accompany him and several others on a horseback ride. The entire party assembled in front of the White House about 4 o'clock, the visitors in their uniforms making a very pretty picture. A photograph was taken of the group while there. The President guided the party through the northern section of the city until they reached the Zoological Park. While in the park a storm began to gather and the party came home at a lively canter. The rain overtook them, however, and before reaching their stopping place the entire party was drenched.

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# WRIGHT HAS MORE TIME

## Primo Beer Case Is in Circuit Court of Appeals.

Nothing further will be done in the matter of Primo beer licenses as far as the Federal Court is concerned, until the Circuit Court of Appeals at San Francisco passes upon a motion to suspend the injunction granted by Judge Estee at the instance of the local representatives of the mainland brewers. The citation for contempt issued for the appearance of Treasurer Wright to show cause for permitting the operation of the Primo beer saloons, was continued until July 1 by stipulation between counsel, because of the motion in the higher court, and Judge Estee said that he would discharge the defendant entirely if the plaintiffs were not ready to proceed.

The answer to the citation was filed yesterday by Judge Silliman, for Treasurer Wright. The defendant answers: "That it has been his intention and purpose, and he has endeavored to comply with the letter as well as the spirit of the injunction issued in this case. That he has done no act under or by virtue of said chapter 46 since the issuance of said injunction. That he has given no instructions, made no intimations, nor threatened anyone with suit or consequences whatever by virtue of any interpretation that might be made or sought to be made of the purport or meaning of said act."

Further, defendant says that as to the licenses referred to in the affidavits attached to said order to show cause as having been issued by this defendant, defendant admits the same were issued under said act or about the dates alleged in said affidavits, save that as to the said license No. 22, the same was issued on or about November 11, 1901, and this defendant in this behalf alleges that said license was issued in good faith to the licensee, upon receipt of the license fee prescribed by said act, and the money so received was paid by this defendant into the treasury of the Territory of Hawaii. That this defendant has no power over said licenses to revoke the same, nor has defendant any power or control over the police forces of the Territory. On information and belief this defendant alleges that the matter of the legality of said licenses was referred to a grand jury of this Territory by the second Judge of the First Circuit Court, after the issuance of said injunction, for the purpose of investigation and such other proceedings as said grand jury might take, but as this defendant is informed and believes said grand jury refused to take any action with regard thereto.

"That since the issuance of said injunction this defendant has given no instructions with regard to said licenses nor made any intimations to any of the holders of said licenses that the same would be revoked if hear of other manufacture than that made in Honolulu, or the so-called 'Primo beer' should be sold by them. That this defendant has not threatened any of the holders of said licenses with suits upon their bonds nor in any way threatened action against them, nor done any act or thing to influence said holders of said licenses to sell 'Primo beer' only, or to restrain said holders of said licenses from selling beer of other manufacture."

"Finally, this defendant alleges that it has been his wish and purpose to meet the effect and full operation of said injunction by implicit obedience thereto."

Following the reading of the answer the court adjourned for ten minutes, counsel having stated that there was prospect of some form of agreement. Upon reconvening court, Judge Silliman presented the following stipulation:

"In the above entitled cause, in so far as the pending contempt proceedings against said defendant is concerned, it is hereby stipulated between the above entitled parties that the further hearing of said contempt proceedings be and the same is hereby continued until the 7th day of July, 1902, subject to the approval of said court."

"Does the defendant consent to this continuance," asked the court, Wright not being in the court room.

"I represent the defendant, and he does," replied Mr. Silliman.

"The court doesn't think it fair to this defendant to put off the case for two months, for the court would dismiss the proceeding, and that is what the court thinks should be done, but of course the stipulation will be allowed. You know, gentlemen, you have appealed on the same points as are raised in the motion for stay of injunction."

Treasurer Wright appeared at this point and gave his consent to the continuance.

"The court wishes to inform you," said Judge Estee, that this is a pressing matter, contempt is a quasi criminal proceeding, and if the counsel for plaintiffs are not ready to go on, the court will dismiss the citation."

The stipulation was finally allowed and the case will rest until the Circuit Court of Appeals passes upon it.

Beware of Cholera!

Dr. Kitazato is reported to have stated that there is some probability this summer of the spread of cholera in Japan. Already the dreadful disease has made its appearance in Hongkong, the usual hotbed of epidemics, owing to its position and especially to the presence of such a large number of Chinese in a small area. Steamers coming and going almost daily between that place and Japan, there is every danger of the germs of that disease being carried over to that country. One reassuring fact is the existence in Kobe, Yokohama and Osaka of a wholesome water supply, but once the germs are introduced into the interior they may cause the havoc, so that every precaution should be taken to prevent the arrival of the said unwelcome germs.—Hawaii Shippo.

# DR. AND MRS. BISHOP CELEBRATE THE ANNIVERSARY.

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ON Saturday Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Bishop E. Bishop celebrated the anniversary of their marriage. Dr. Bishop received the greetings of a host of old neighbors and friends. From 2 until 6 o'clock the home on School street was crowded and in the yard the Hawaiian band, led by Captain Berger, played appropriate airs. The band had been sent by Gov. Cooper. Dr. and Mrs. Bishop received in the front parlor and were assisted by Dr. John and Mrs. Bishop of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Shaw, Mrs. Arthur Alexander and Miss Harriet Needham. A number of little girls, daintily attired, passed refreshments.

Those who called to offer congratulations included all the old-time missionary people who were physically able to be present, many of the younger generation and a host of well-wishers from the various churches and some from home. The atmosphere of the gathering and that of the old home itself was distinctly New England.

About 4 o'clock when the throng was greatest, Mrs. Lydia Coan, widow of the famous Father Coan of early missionary days and sister of the present Rev. Hiram Bingham, directly addressing Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Bishop, read the following letter of greeting:

MRS. COAN'S ADDRESS.  
Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Serezo E. Bishop: He whose are the giver and the gift of the earth crowns your lives today with the blessing of a golden wedding. A cloud of witnesses, many upon the further shore, many yet on this side the river, compass you about, rejoicing with you that thro' these fleeting years, walking in loving fellowship, you have been guided by a Leader, infinite in wisdom, and followed every step of your way by goodness and mercy. We who are privileged to look into your faces and to clasp your hands this auspicious anniversary day, offer you our sincere congratulations.

Our hearts lift up a prayer that your useful lives may be precious in His sight, that you may dwell yet many days among us, and that with you in the glad hereafter, in His own time, we together may walk the golden streets, and dwell forever in His house.

Remembering without ceasing your work of faith and labor of love, and patience of hope, we ask your kind acceptance of these tokens of our affectionate regard and best wishes, and remain as ever your faithful friends.

Mrs. Lydia Coan, Dr. and Mrs. Bingham, Miss Laura Green, Mrs. Sarah Gilman, Mrs. Maria Forbes, Miss Margaret Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. H. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gulick, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Damon, Mrs. A. F. Judd, C. W. Dickey, Walter E. Wall, Dr. C. T. Rodgers, S. E. Damon, Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Smith, J. Gilman, L. A. Thurston, Miss Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Damon, Mrs. S. E. Halstead, Mrs. Ellen Ward, Mrs. Katherine Graydon, Mrs. Chas. Cooke, Mrs. Weedon, Mrs. S. N. Castle, Miss Carrie Castle, Mrs. Hattie Coleman, Mrs. C. E. Frasier, Miss Eleanor Snow, Mrs. J. P. Green and family, Mrs. F. E. Hobson, Mrs. Wm. E. Rice of Kauai, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parker, Mrs. J. A. Hopper, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitig, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atherton, Prof. and Mrs. W. D. Alexander, Dr. and Mrs. N. B. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Emerson, W. E. Bear, F. S. Dodge, W. E. Bowen, E. D. Tenney, W. J. Forster, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Thrum, Theo. Richards, C. J. Lyons and W. W. Hall.

The gifts were a beautiful gold watch and a purse containing one hundred dollars in gold. Professor Alexander, in adding their presentation, read the following brief paper:

PROF. ALEXANDER'S REMARKS.  
Dear Brother and Sister Bishop:—Aloha oua a ko'u mau puluna! I have been requested to add a few words to the letter, which has expressed our feelings on this happy occasion far better than any words of mine.

We recognize with gratitude the great goodness of God which has sustained you through all the trials of a half century, and which has blessed your faithful service so abundantly. And now in your serene and peaceful old age, rich in honor, love, obedience, troops of friends, the same Divine Presence seems to shed a radiance on your path, and to give you glimpses of the Celestial City such as Bunyan's pilgrim enjoyed in the land of Beulah.

As you look back on the past from this milestone in your journey, what wonderful changes you must call to mind. You have witnessed nearly every step of the process by which this land has been transformed from heathen barbarism to Christian civilization, in which you have borne an honored part.

While I remember that this occasion is but a stepping stone in the immortal life, which has but just begun here, yet I trust that the Lord has still much for you to do in this corner of His vineyard, and that we may long have the privilege of enjoying your companionship and your wise counsel. Serli in eodem redeat! Heaven is a state rather than a place, and we may enter into it, and enjoy much more than a foretaste of it, while still on this side of the River.

An old friend has lately written me as follows: "A man is no older than he feels, and it is his duty to feel young," advice which I venture to think is well suited to our case.

And now dear friends, please to accept these slight tokens of our affection and esteem. Gold is an emblem of that which is genuine and pure, which has the ring of the true metal, which has been tried by fire and has stood the test, and whose sterling worth is known to all. It is therefore a fitting emblem of what we wish to express.

For a' that and a' that, The man's the gowd for a' that.

The venerable couple were much affected, but Dr. Bishop found voice for the following reply:

# A PASTOR'S TROUBLE

Trials Which Troust a Minister in His Own Territory

For many long years the Rev. William H. Bishop of Honolulu, T. H., was burdened with troubles more than fall to the lot of the average man, but finally he was able to throw them off and now tells interestingly how he accomplished it. He says:

"When I was a boy of about twelve years, I had what a boy seldom has—rheumatism. I had been in bad health for some months and was taken out of school on account of it. But I kept getting worse and at one time could hardly get around. This I suppose, undetermined my health and was the cause of the later troubles which afflicted me. "Some sixteen years ago I developed a torpid liver and an chronic diarrhoea. This in itself was very weakening but, in addition to that, my stomach refused heavily food. I had a severe pain in my side almost all the time, and when I walked any distance, I became out of breath, with a feeling of burning at the heart. My head and limbs would ache fearfully, especially at night. Then my rheumatism came on again and, later, I had a dry, hacking cough which nearly drove me distracted."

"I was under the care of two physicians but, although the tonics they gave me seemed to do me good for a while, the effect was only temporary. Finally I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People by an advertisement in a paper which told of the cure of a case similar to mine. This was four years ago. I took them and eight boxes made me well. I am now well and strong and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have made me so."

Mr. Bishop took a medicine that attacked his trouble at the root—the blood and nerves. Poor blood and disordered nerves at the seat of nearly all the ailments which afflict mankind, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have been proven to be a certain remedy for all diseases arising from this cause.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold at fifty cents a box or six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

## BY AUTHORITY.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

H. D. WISHARD HAVING BEEN appointed administrator of the estate of John P. Silva of Keala, Kauai, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to him at Lihue, Kauai, with proper vouchers within six months from date hereof or they will be forever barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to the undersigned.

H. D. WISHARD.

Administrator of the Estate of John P. Silva.

Lihue, Kauai, May 10th, 1902.

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### DR. BISHOP'S RESPONSE.

We deeply feel, dear friends, your generous kindness in these rich gifts, and thank you with most warm regard, feeling that they come from your affectionate and very partial regard for us. This is to me a most wonderful thing. All these years ago, and I estimate of kindness and love which have been pouring in upon us, especially this afternoon—this earnest sympathy with our joy and privilege in this anniversary—it has put me into a state of exultation and exaltation. It seems strange and wonderful that we have been so favorably and so kindly treated through these fifty years to this happy day, and now have with us our two children and their families. We are strangely favored, and you are so cordially and sympathetically rejoicing with us. I am especially moved by the sense of the wonderful goodness of the kind Father, who has kept me and mine with such singular partiality of kindness and protecting care. Why should we be singled out for such mercies? It makes us look forward with trust in the same supporting hand to keep us through the declining years that remain, and to hope by the same mercy to attain to the Home above. Dear friends, may that mercy be with us all, and cause us all to meet there safe and blessed in the Heavenly Presence.

The watch presented to Dr. Bishop was richly carved and on the inside of the case was inscribed the following: "Presented to Rev. Serezo E. Bishop, D. D., with the affection and esteem of his Honolulu friends on his golden wedding anniversary, May 31, 1902."

A gold-headed ebony wood cane came from one of the cousins now abroad, Mr. S. T. Alexander. It was inscribed "Serezo E. Bishop, D. D., 1832 to 1902." There were many other gifts in silver and gold, including spoons, bon-bon sets, cut glass, gold pins, etc. Two very pretty pictures were received, one a handsome painting of "The Golden Shower," which was painted by a childhood friend of Dr. Bishop, now a woman of over eighty years of age.

There were two objects of special interest to the guests which were shown. One was a daguerotype of Dr. and Mrs. Bishop taken just fifty years ago, on the day before they were married. The other was an ancient combination chair and desk which had been used during the life of Mrs. Bishop's father, Rev. Dr. John Sessions, since 1826, in writing his sermons.

### Prof. Pease Dismissed.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 24.—Professor E. M. Pease, head of the department of Latin, has been asked by President Jordan to resign his chair or consider himself dismissed from the university. Professor Pease has held the chair of Latin since the founding of the university, but for the past four years his relations with the president have been anything but friendly, and his dismissal was not unexpected. He is much esteemed by his students, who deeply regret that such a course as that adopted by President Jordan has become necessary.